## Alternative Education Annual Report

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### 17 Components for Alternative Education

(70 O.S. § 1210-568)

- 1. Student-teacher ratios conducive to effective learning
- 2. Appropriate structure, curriculum, interaction, and reinforcement strategies for effective instruction
- 3. An intake and screening process to determine eligibility of students
- 4. Appropriately certified teaching faculty
- 5. Teaching faculty with successful experiences working with at-risk students
- 6. Collaboration with state and local agencies
- 7. Courses that meet the curricular standards adopted by the Oklahoma State Board of Education
- 8. Individualized instruction





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- 9. Clear and measurable program goals and objectives
- 10. Counseling and social service components
- 11. Graduation plan for each student
- 12. Life skills instruction
- 13. Opportunities for arts education
- 14. An annual budget
- 15. An evaluation component
- 16. Service to students in Grades 6-12 who are most at risk of not completing high school for reasons other than disability
- 17. Opportunities for student participation in vocational programs and extracurricular activities, such as athletics, band, and clubs





# Programs and Students Summary 2017-2018 School Year

**Number of Programs** 

304

Number of Students Served

13,067

6th-8th Students

998 (7.64%)

9th-12th Students

12,069 (92.36%)





### **Students Summary 2017-2018 School Year**

Number of graduates 4,847

Number of Dropouts 1,626

Number Re-engaged 1,049





### Students Summary 2017-2018 School Year

#### Attendance & Suspension

•	Excessive Absences	
	(more that 10 per semester)	

3,222 (24.66%)

 Chronic Absenteeism (18 or more absences per semester) 1,670 (12.78%)

Suspensions

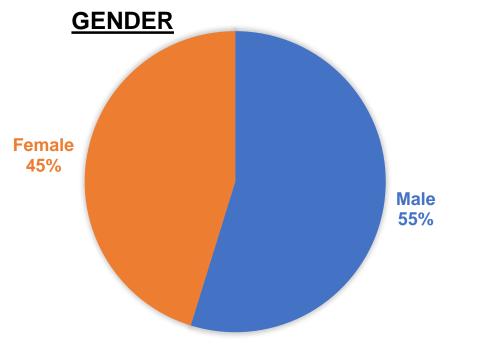
1,248 (9.56%)

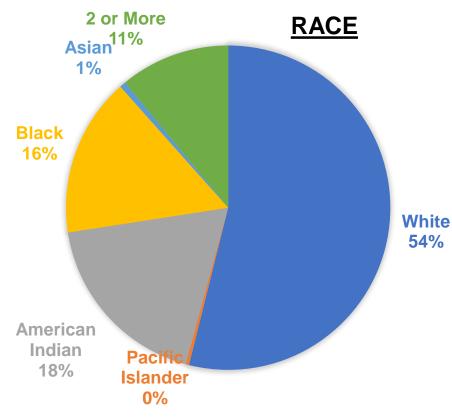




### Students Served

by gender and race







### Opportunities and Credits

Students who attended Career Tech	1,344
Students who attended concurrent enrollment	201
Students who attended an internship	152
Students who attended work study	1,094
Students who attended service learning	400

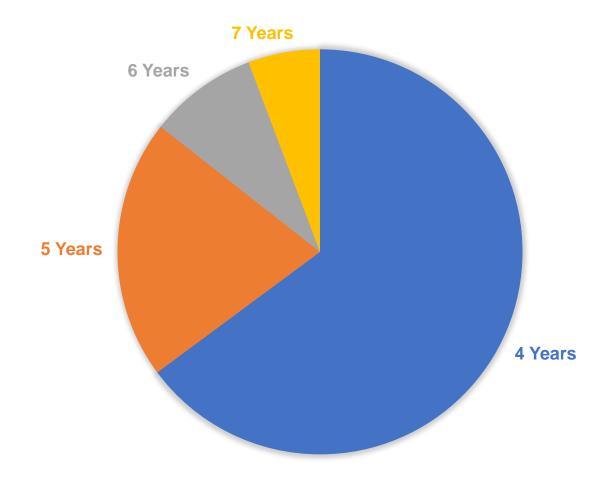


Average number of credits earned



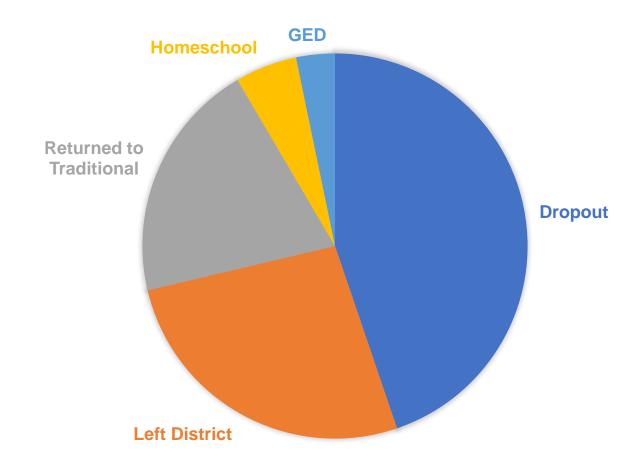
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### Students on Track to Graduate





#### Students Who Left Alternative Education





# Alternative Education Programs 2018-2019 School Year

Program Type	# of Programs
Full Time	155
Part Time	116
Night	34
Career Tech	9
Total	314





### Professional Development FY19

- Youth Mental Health First Aid
- 7 Ways to Transform the Lives of Wounded Students with Joe Hendershott (book study and speaker)
- Webinars
  - Best Practices with Online Learning
  - Arts Education and OK Art Council Grant System
  - ICAP for All Students
  - OK Career Guide for Career Planning Transitions
  - Enhancing School Climate
  - School Connection to Chronic Absenteeism
  - What you Need to Know About OK Standards and Curriculum





### Alternative Education Advisory Committee

#### Goals -

- Review current alternative education law and make recommendations addressing opportunities and challenges in meeting the needs of at-risk learners.
- Review current evaluation method and make recommendations of possible meaningful approaches in setting and accomplishing district goals.
- Discuss possible accountability paths for non-traditional settings including alternative education.



### Committee Accomplishments

- New "Teaching Out of the Certification" Form
- New Oklahoma School Alternative Education Association
- New Definition of Credit Recovery and Updated Definition of Alternative Education
- New MS/Dependent Districts and Updated HS Rubric
- Updated Evaluation Schedule with Regional Map
- Updated Alternative Education Webpage
- Updating the Funding Formula
- Proposing New "Rules" for Alternative Education





### **Dropout Report**

#### Dropout Rate in 2016-2017

- 189,850 students in grades 9-12
- 5,668 dropouts
- 3.0% dropout rate

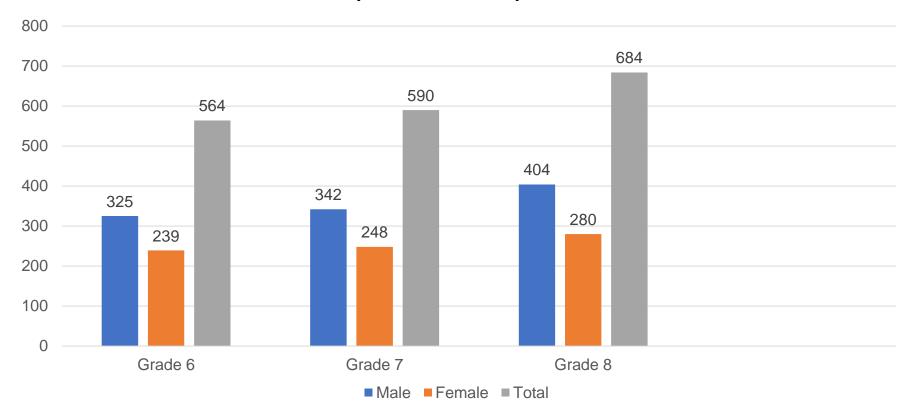
#### **Dropout Rate History**

SCHOOL YEAR	DROPOUT RATE
2012-2013	2.3%
2013-2014	1.9%
2014-2015	2.0%
2015-2016	1.9%
2016-2017	3.0%





## Students Not Promoted to the Next Grade Level (6<sup>th</sup>-8<sup>th</sup> Grades)

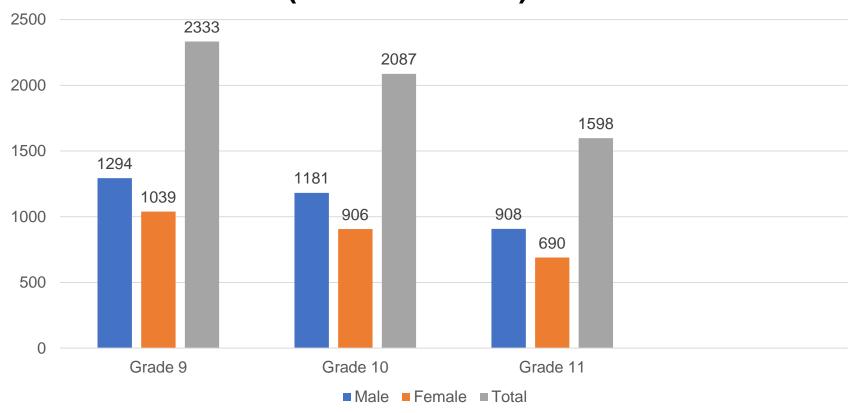




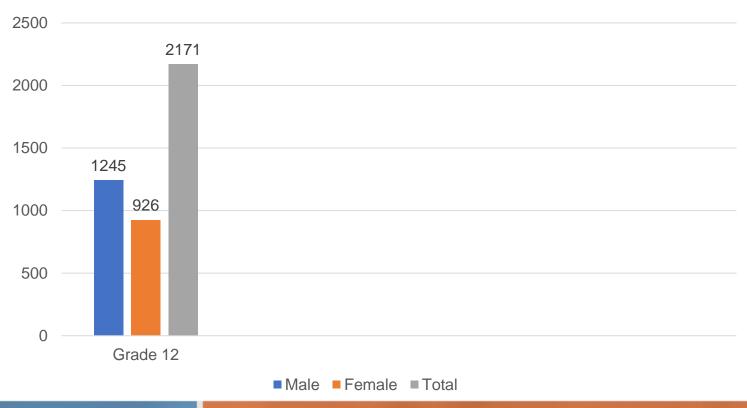


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#### Students Not Achieving the Next Classification Level (9th-11th Grades)

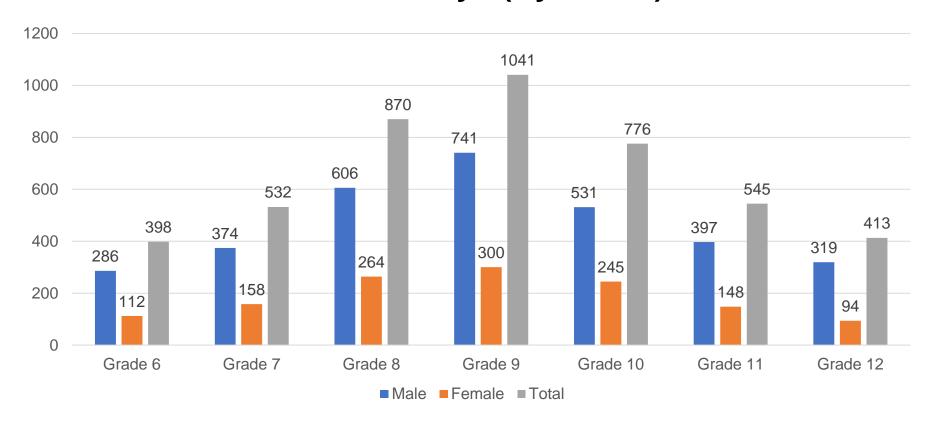


#### **Students Not Graduating Due to Credit Deficiency** (Grade 12)





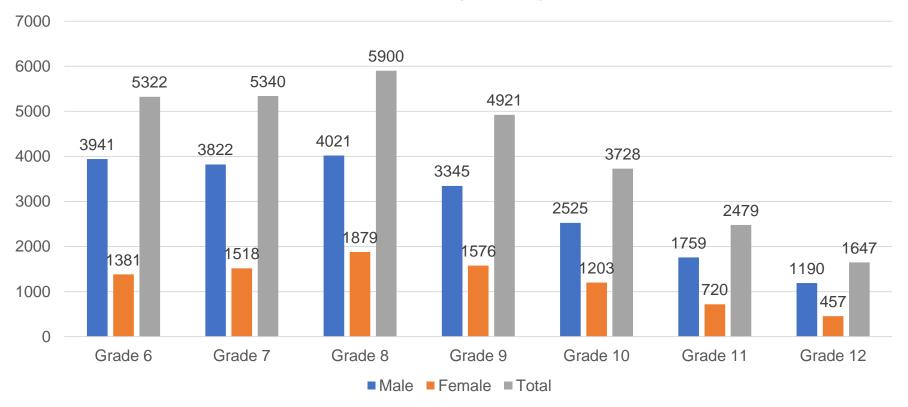
## Number of Students Suspended 10 or more Days (By Grade)







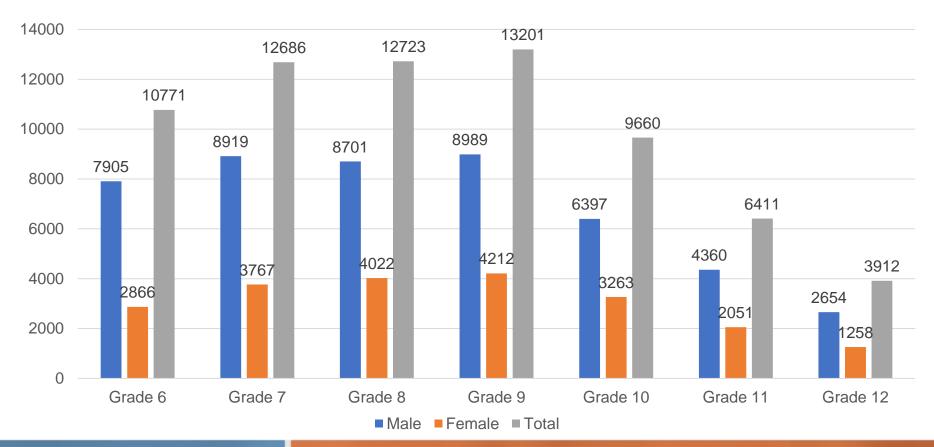
## Number of Students Suspended 9 or Fewer Days (By Grade)

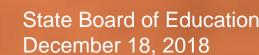






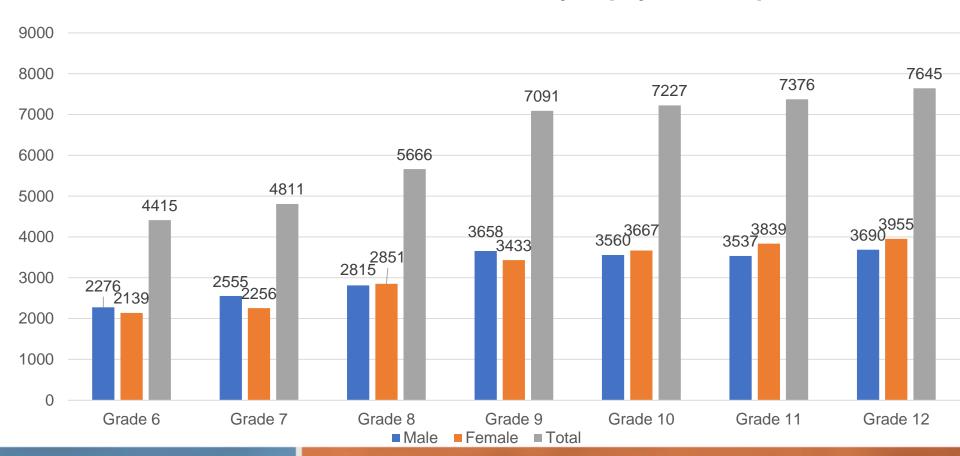
#### **Number of In-School Suspensions (By Grade)**







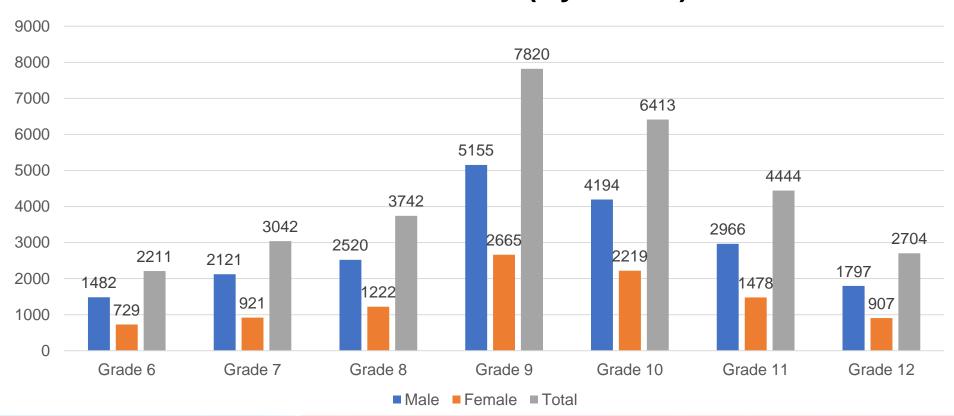
#### Number of Students Who Missed 18 or More School Days (By Grade)







## Number of Students That Earned Below a 2.0 GPA (By Grade)







### **Quality Programs Showcase**

**Guymon** Community Partnership (Life skills through camping in Colorado)

<u>Comanche</u> Co-op that includes 5 rural districts (Farm to Table grant)

<u>Jenks</u> Trauma-informed focus (Counseling support from outside entities)















